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SIR:

We request that the response term to the outstanding office action dated June 25, 2007 be extended 2 months from September 25, 2007 to November 25, 2007. We enclose a check for the requisite fee of \$225.00.

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Respectfully submitted,

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